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Enclosed for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):
NABIL KHALIFA, SERGE GESLIN, VLADIMIR DVORKINFor: TRANSMISSION SYSTEM COMPRISING A STATION OF A FIRST TYPE AND
STATION OF A SECOND TYPE AND SYNCHRONIZATION METHOD**ENCLOSED ARE:**

- ☒ Appointment of Associates;
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(2 Pages of a [] fully executed [☒] unsigned Declaration);
☒ Drawing (3 sheets of [] informal [☒] formal sheets);
☒ Certified copy of a **FRENCH** application Serial No. **9915418**;
☒ Authorization Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a) (3)
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APPOINTMENT OF ASSOCIATES

Sir:

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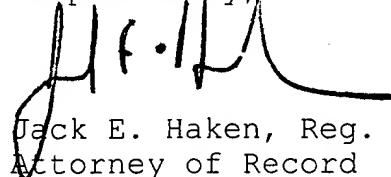
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Dated at Tarrytown, New York
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